Strength of Ministry of the State

455. Sri M. G. BANAKAR (Byadgi).—

Will the Chief Minister be pleased to state :—

(*a*) whether the Administrative Reforms Commission has made a suggestion that there must be only so many Ministers and Deputy Ministers for the State ;

(*b*) if so, whether they have implemented the same ;

(*c*) if not, the reason for the same ?

Sri VEERENDRA PATIL (Chief Minister).—

(*a*) No such suggestion has been received from the Administrative Reforms Commission.

(*b*) Does not arise.

(*c*) Does not arise.

Game Sanctuaries in the State

498. Sri L. SRIKANTAIAH (Nanjangud).—

Will the Minister of State for Forests be pleased to state :—

(*a*) the number of Game Sanctuaries in the State of Mysore ;

(*b*) the number of following animals below and above the age of five in the said sanctuaries :—

(i) Tigers
(ii) Panthers
(iii) Cheetah
(iv) Elephants
(v) Bears
(vi) Bisons
(vii) Wild dogs
(viii) Deers (including spotted)
(ix) Hyena
(x) Wolves

(*c*) the number and kind of animals in the reserved forest of the State of Mysore ;

(*d*) whether the Government have tried to breed girnar lions, rhinoceros ; hippos ; Jaugar ; Giraffe ; Zibra in the State forests of Mysore ?